

ABSTRACT

An ink comprises 100 parts by weight of an aluminum flake containing aluminum flakes of $0.5 \mu\text{m}$ or less, more preferably $0.3 \mu\text{m}$ or less, in thickness and $20 \mu\text{m}^2$ to $2,000 \mu\text{m}^2$ in flake area in content of 75 % or more, 3 to 200 parts by weight of a binding agent, and 600 to 4,000 parts by weight of a solvent, wherein the solvent is the one containing 20 wt% or more of 3-methyl-3-methoxy-1-butanol (MMB).